

# The Daily Courant.

Tuesday, April 17. 1705.

From the Amsterdam Courant, dated April 21.

Madrid, April 2.

**T**HE Letters from the Camp before Gibraltar, confirm the Loss sustain'd by the Baron de Pointis Squadron: And add, that after the Action Admiral Leake sent into the Bay 5 Ships, which landed Succours, for the Garrison, of Men, Ammunition, and Provisions, and himself with 27 Ships proceeded Eastward into the Mediterranean: And that coming before Malaga he burnt a French Ship, which 'tis said belong'd to Monsieur de Pointis Squadron; and (as some say,) took 5 others, whether Men of War or Merchant Ships is not said. 'Tis not certain that the Enemy have sent any Ships with Succours to the Duke of Savoy: If their Fleet keep in the Streights we shall be apprehensive they will make an Attempt upon Cadix: Mean time the Departure of the Gallies for the West Indies is become very doubtful. As soon as the Garrison of Gibraltar had receiv'd their Succours, they made 3 Discharges of their Artillery and Musquets on the Works of the Besiegers; who could not answer them for Want of Ammunition: The Truth is, the latter are so diminish'd by the Length of the Siege and the Badness of the Weather, that 'tis thought the Besieged are stronger than they, and were they provided with Horse might put them hard to it. Things standing thus, the Marshal de Theffe thought fit to call a Council of War, and we learn by the Ingenier Major Monsieur Renaud, (who left the Camp the 26th and came hither the 29th,) that it was the Judgment of that Council the Siege ought to be rais'd. Upon Advice of which the Councils of State and War were twice assembled here in the King's Presence, and the Result of their Consultations was to refer the Determination of this Point to the King of France, and that this Ingenier should go and make a Verbal Report to him of the State of Affairs. Pursuant to which, he set out Post for Paris the 31st of last Month: We take it for granted here, that there is an absolutely Necessity of raising the Siege.

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*Amst.* Apr. 20. Captain Arenden of the *Patience*, a Dutch Merchant Ship, that arriv'd from Lisbon at Leghorne the 1st of April, writes, that he enter'd the Streights the 21st of March with the Squadron commanded by Sir John Leake, and that he saw 2 of Monsieur de Pointis Ships run ashore and burnt; 2 taken by the Dutch, and 1 by the English.

From the Harlem Courant, dated April 21.

*Trier*, April 15. The Enemy continue quiet still. The Troops of the Allies prepare to take the Field, in Order to which Bread and Biscuit are baking here, and at Saar Louis and other Places. The Moselle is higher than it has been known to be in many Years; so that 2 Pieces of Cannon plac'd in the Line on the side of that River without the Simons-Port, are under Water.

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*Liege*, April 17. Our Garrison are order'd to hold

themselves in a Readyness to march at an Hour's Warning. General Salish has caus'd 3 Camps to be mark'd out, one at Marche en Famine, another at Venaimont near Huy, and the 3d at Viesme in the District of Hesbaye: 'Tis probable the French being thereby put in Apprehension of a Diversion on this side, may think it necessary to order Part of their Troops on the Moselle to march back agen to the Netherlands. 'Tis talk'd the Forces of the Allies in these Parts, will put themselves upon the March the 22d Instant.

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*Liege*, April 17. The Troops of the States General are all canton'd hereabouts, but the Enemy's are not canton'd yet; though Detachments of them cover their Workmen on the new Line and Redoubts, who are reliev'd every 3 days. To day General Salisch went out with 200 Horse, to mark out a Camp near Warem or Borchloen. Monsieur d'Auverquerque is expected shortly at Maastricht.

From the Amsterdam Gazette, dated April 21.

*Bois-le-Duc*, April 19. Orders have been given in the Territory belonging to this Place, for 400 Waggoners and 800 Pioneers to be ready, as to day: In order to be employ'd where it shall be judg'd necessary. The Pioneers are to be provided with Bread for 8 days,

From the Paris Gazette, dated April 17.

*Paris*, April 17. Since the Arrival of Monsieur Renaud, a Courier came from the Camp before Gibraltar, and has been sent back with his Majesty's Orders touching the Siege of that Place. The Marshal de Theffe, in a Letter he has written to the King, upon the Misfortune befallen the Squadron, highly commends the Conduct of the Baron de Pointis: And by what Monsieur Renaud reports, it appears the Rumour that was spread of a Misunderstanding between the Marshal de Theffe and the Marquis de Villadarias, is false; they being on the contrary very good Friends. He confirms the Willingness of the Spanish Infantry to continue the Siege, and the Patience of the Soldiers, who tho' almost naked, suffer without Murmuring the Fatigues of so long and toilsome a Siege. The last News we receiv'd concerning the Siege of Nice, was that the Duke de la Feuillade had fix'd the Day on which to give a general Assault. Since the Court went to Marli, a Courier arriv'd from the Grand Prior of France: But the News he brought is not made Publick. We presume he is sent only to inform the King of some Motions the Enemy have made. The Death of the Duke of Brittany has extremely afflicted the Court, which 'tis believ'd will go into Mourning for 6 Months. 'Tis confirm'd that Mirandola is besieg'd: That the Trenches were open'd the 16th of last Month: And that the Duke of Vendome has sent thither Monsieur de Lapara, to take upon him the Direction of the Siege, and the Command of the Troops employ'd in it.

From the Leiden Courant, dated April 22.

*Paris*, Apr. 17. The D. de la Feuillade has made Monsieur de Crenecour Governour of the Castle of Villafraanca.

France. The Town of Nice has offer'd to capitulate; but the Castle being furnish'd with 60 Pieces of Cannon, is therewith enabled to make a better Defence; yet 'tis said the Duke de la Feuillade reckon'd to storm it the 13th or 14th Instant. This Morning Monsieur de Broglie brought the King an Account, that Verue, (which was invested the 15th of October last, and the Trenches were open'd the 22d of the same Month,) surrendered the 9th Instant, and that the Garrison consisting of 1200 Men (who before their surrender blew up their Mines,) are made Prisoners of War. The 15th the King took a Review of the Gens d'Armes and Light Horse, and to day will review the Mousquetaires, all which are to march to the Moselle; and all the Officers who have Commands in the Army that is to serve on that River, are order'd to repair forthwith to their respective Posts. The Marquis de Monperoux, the Chevalier Croissy, the Marquis de Hautefeuille, and Monsieur de Balincourt, are arriv'd here from England (whither they were carried Prisoners with the Marshal de Tallard,) on their Parole to return in 3 Months.

Hague, April 19. The Duke of Marlborough having conferr'd with the General Officers that are here, designs to go in a few days to take a Review of the English Troops quarter'd in Breda and other Places; which done 'tis expected he will return hither again. Monsieur Hop the Treasurer-General is return'd hither from taking a Review of the Troops embark'd for Portugal, and which will sail out of the Texel, the Wind permitting, about 10 days hence.

Plymouth, April 13. On the 11th came in Her Majesty's Ship the Rochester, with a Prize, being a Ship of Nants laden with Sugars, homeward bound from Martineco. Her Majesty's Ship the Chatham brought in a Ship of Cadiz, Prize. And Her Majesty's Ship the Triton, brought in a French Privateer of 12 Guns. Came in Her Majesty's Ship the Angelsea from cruising. To Day the Rochester sail'd a cruising.

Dartmouth, April 13. Yesterday Her Majesty's Ships the Prince George, Nassaw, Torbay, and Dorchester, Captain Fairfax Commadore, bound for Lisbon, were put back by contrary Winds into Torbay.

Yarmouth, April 13. Yesterday sail'd out of our Roads, Her Majesty's Ships the Hampshire and Tilbury, to cruize. Came in, the Marling Sloop and 40 odd Sail of Light Colliers; the Sloop pass'd through the Roads with 2 small Ships under her Convoy to the Northward, but the Colliers anchor'd here. Her Majesty's Ship the Solebay continues here,

London, April 17.

We hear that the four Gentlemen agreed upon by many Citizens to be nominated to the Common Hall to serve for the City of London in the next Parliament, are

Sir Robert Clayton,	} Knights and Aldermen.
Sir William Ashurst,	
Sir Gilbert Heathcot,	
Samuel Shepard,	
	Esquire.

At the Theatre Royal in Drury-Lane, this present Tuesday being the 17th of April, will be presented, The Tragedy of Macbeth, with all the Musick, Vocal and Instrumental, Compos'd by Mr. Leveridge, and perform'd by him and others. With Dancing by Monsieur du Ruel, Mrs. du Ruel, Monsieur Cherrier, and others.

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At the Golden Acorn in White-Fryars, coming down by the Green Dragon Tavern in Fleet-street, London, are to be sold all sorts of Acts of Parliaments, Proclamations, Declarations, &c. as also all manner of old fittich Books and Pamphlets, according to the Method of William Miller, late of London, Stationer.

On Wednesday the 18th Instant, at Tom's Coffee-house adjoining to Ludgate, will be sold by Auction a valuable Collection of English Books, in several Faculties, viz. Divinity, History, Lives, Travels, Poetry, &c. beginning exactly at 5 a Clock, and continue till 9 daily, till all the Books are sold. Catalogues are given gratis at Mr. Chapman's in Pall-mall, Mr. Chantry at Lincoln's-Inn Back-Gate, Mr. Poole, under the Piazza, Royal Exchange, Mr. Illidge in Little Britain, Book-sellers, and at the Place of Sale. The Books may be viewed from 8 in the Morning till 12, and from 2 till 6 in the Evening.

Snell's Penman's Treasury open'd: An Essay for Improvement of Writing, is sold by E. Place at Furnival's Inn-Gate in Holborn; Also a Book of Rules for Stating Merchants Accounts: But for such who desire to make themselves Compleat Accountants, the Author has Compos'd several curious Questions, and Forms of Accounts from Real Affairs, and stated them conformable to the Method used by the most exact Merchants, which he Teaches at the Free-Writing-School in Foster-lane, London; and the true Practice of Foreign Exchanges: He also Boards young Gentlemen in his Houle, and Teaches Accounts in the French Tongue to such as desire it.

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